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The Honorable Board of Supervisors
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Dear Supervisors:

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

37 June 17, 2014

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**AUTHORIZATION TO ACCEPT AND SIGN A LOCAL PRIMACY DELEGATION AGREEMENT, A
GRANT FUNDING AGREEMENT, AND FUTURE AGREEMENTS AND/OR AMENDMENTS WITH
THE STATE FOR THE OPERATION OF A SMALL PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM REGULATORY
PROGRAM**

(ALL SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS) (3 VOTES)

SUBJECT

Authorization to accept and sign a Local Primacy Delegation Agreement, a Grant Funding Agreement, and future agreements and/or amendments with the State for the operation of a Small Public Water System Regulatory Program.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE BOARD:

1. Authorize and instruct the Director of the Department of Public Health (DPH), or his designee, to accept and sign a Local Primacy Delegation Agreement (LPDA) with the State to designate the Los Angeles County Health Officer as the Local Primacy Agency (LPA) responsible for the enforcement of the California Safe Drinking Water Act for small public water systems (SPWS) (Exhibit I), to be effective on the date of execution and to remain in effect unless terminated pursuant to California Health and Safety Code Section 116330(c).
2. Authorize and instruct the Director of DPH, or his designee, to accept and sign a Grant Funding Agreement (GFA) with the State (Exhibit II), in the amount of \$470,000, to support the operation of a SPWS regulatory program, for the period of July 1, 2014, through June 30, 2015.
3. Delegate authority to the Director of DPH, or his designee, to accept future grant agreements

and/or amendments that are consistent with the requirements of the GFA that extend the term through June 30, 2019 at amounts to be determined by the State; reflect non-material and/or ministerial revisions to the award's terms and conditions; allow for the rollover of unspent funds and/or redirection of funds; and/or provide for an increase or decrease in funding up to 25 percent above or below each term's annual base amount, subject to review and approval as to form by County Counsel and notification to your Board and the Chief Executive Office.

PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

Approval of Recommendation 1 will allow DPH to accept and sign a LPDA designating the Los Angeles County Health Officer as the LPA responsible for the regulation of SPWS in Los Angeles County (County). SPWS, for the purpose of this program, are small water systems that provide piped water to the public for human consumption and serve up to 199 service connections. In order to fulfill program requirements, DPH will temporarily re-assign 3.5 full-time equivalent (FTE) positions to enhance the efforts of the 1.75 FTEs positions currently funded by permit fees. Staff duties include, but are not limited to, ensuring that all SPWS perform the required water quality monitoring; reviewing submitted water quality monitoring results; issuing enforcement actions for violations of drinking water standards and monitoring and reporting requirements; ensuring that water supply permits are approved; ensuring that all required data reporting elements are reported to the State; and complying with the requirements specified in the LPA.

Approval of Recommendation 2 will allow DPH to accept and sign a GFA to support the operation of the SPWS regulatory program. The funding will support 3.5 FTEs reassigned to the SPWS regulatory program to meet the goals of the Annual Work Plan for fiscal year (FY) 2014-15. DPH will explore other funding options to continue the program in subsequent years at the increased staffing level. If no additional funding is secured, the staffing level will revert back to the 1.75 FTEs supported by annual permit fees. Future Work Plans will be based on available funding/staffing resources in any given fiscal year and submitted to the State for approval.

Approval of Recommendation 3 will allow DPH to accept future grant agreements and/or amendments that are consistent with the requirements of the GFA to extend the term of the award; reflect non-material revisions to terms and conditions; rollover unspent funds and/or redirect funds; and/or provide an increase or decrease in funding up to 25 percent above or below each term's annual base amount.

Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals

The recommended actions support Goal 3, Integrated Services Delivery, of the County's Strategic Plan.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

The SPWS regulatory program currently collects annual permit fees that support 1.75 FTE positions.

DPH will accept a GFA from the State in the amount of \$470,000 for the period of July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015. Funds will support personnel costs (salaries and employee benefits) for 3.5

FTEs, operating expenses, and additional eligible costs associated with the LPA Program. There is no net County cost associated with this action.

Funding is available in the FY 2014-15 budget and will be included in future FYs, as necessary.

FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

In 1993, the State designated the DPH Environmental Health Division Bureau of Environmental Protection as the LPA for the regulation, operation, reporting, and maintenance of the SPWS Program. Entering into a new LPDA will ensure that DPH is operating under an updated contract prior to the anticipated transfer of administration of the SPWS program to the State Water Resources Control Board, which is scheduled to take effect on July 1, 2014. The agreement includes a confidentiality agreement stipulating that records and information, or portions thereof, disclosed by the State to the County, are confidential and exempt from disclosure to the public.

County Counsel has reviewed and approved Exhibits I and II as to form. Attachment A is the Grants Management Statement for grants exceeding \$100,000.

IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)

Approval of the recommended actions will increase DPH's enforcement capacity to bring small public water systems into compliance with Safe Drinking Water Standards, ensuring these systems provide water to the public that is continuously safe and reliable. Approval of the recommended actions will help ensure that the County has the requisite resources to meet State LPA requirements.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jonathan E. Fielding". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

JONATHAN E. FIELDING, M.D., M.P.H.

Director and Health Officer

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Enclosures

c: Chief Executive Officer
County Counsel
Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors

Los Angeles County Department of Public Health

Small Public Water Systems Program

LOCAL PRIMACY DELEGATION AGREEMENT

This PRIMACY DELEGATION AGREEMENT (this "Agreement") is entered into as of _____, 2014, (the "Effective Date") by and between the California State Department of Public Health (the "Department") and the County of Los Angeles (the "County").

BACKGROUND

A. The Department may delegate enforcement of the California Safe Drinking Water Act for small public water systems to local health officers under the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

B. The Department has adopted regulations specifying the requirements for a small public water system regulatory program by a local health officer under authority delegated by the Department.

C. The County has submitted a complete primacy delegation application (the "Application") to the Department requesting delegation of primacy for the small public water system regulatory program within the County.

D. The Department has reviewed the Application submitted by the County and determined that the County is capable of conducting a small public water system regulatory program.

E. The Department hereby wishes to delegate to the County the authority to enforce state laws and regulations applicable to the delivery of drinking water to consumers by small public water systems pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, and the County hereby accepts such delegation.

F. All statutory references in this Agreement are to the California Health and Safety Code ("HSC") as the same may be amended from time to time, unless otherwise noted.

G. For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Department and the County agree as follows:

AGREEMENT

ARTICLE I. DELEGATION; DESIGNATION OF LOCAL PRIMACY AGENCY

Section 1.01 Termination of Prior Agreement. This Agreement supersedes, in its entirety, the prior Delegation Agreement between the parties, which Delegation Agreement is hereby agreed to be of no further force or effect.

Section 1.02 Delegation and Reservation of Rights. The Department hereby delegates to the County all authority granted to it under the California Safe Drinking Water Act (HSC §116270 et. seq.) for regulation of small public water systems. This delegation does not include regulation of community water systems serving 200 or more service connections. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Department retains concurrent authority to regulate, and take enforcement action against, small public water systems within the County's jurisdiction to the extent determined necessary by the Department.

Section 1.03 Designation. The designated local primacy agency for the County of Los Angeles shall be its local health officer (the "LPA").

Section 1.04 Small Public Water Systems Not Subject to Delegation. The following small public water systems shall be regulated directly by the Department and are not subject to the delegation granted by this Agreement:

(a) All small public water systems owned and operated by agencies of the State of California; including the Department of Parks and Recreation, Department of Transportation, Department of Forestry, Department of Mental Health, Department of Corrections, Department of Veterans Affairs, and the Department of Water Resources;

(b) All small public water systems operated by the Chancellor of the University of California System or the Chancellor of the California State Universities and Colleges;

(c) All small public water systems owned or operated by the federal government except those that are: (1) operated by, or under the authority of, the U.S. Forest Service; or (2) campgrounds that are operated by, or under the authority of, the Bureau of Land Management or the Army Corps of Engineers; and

(d) The following specifically named small public water systems:

1. Azusa Springs Water System- ID #1909644
2. Trask Scout Reservation – ID# 1900569
3. Henninger Flats – ID# 1900764
4. USFS – Pyramid Lake S-14 – ID# 1900937

ARTICLE II. TERMS OF DELEGATION

Section 2.01 Permitting of Small Public Water Systems.

(a) Issuance. The County shall cause the LPA to issue and maintain a valid drinking water permit ("Permit") for all small public water systems within the

County's jurisdiction. The Permit must be issued in conformity with and include all terms and conditions set forth in HSC §116525 through §116550.

(b) TMF Capacity. The County shall cause the LPA to deny a Permit to any small public water system that lacks adequate technical, managerial, and financial capacity, consistent with HSC § 116540(a).

(c) 10 Year Review. All Permits must be reviewed and updated as determined by the LPA at least once in every ten (10) year period, starting from the date of issuance.

(d) Department Review. The County shall cause the LPA to deliver to the Department all Permit applications submitted to it for proposed new community water systems that are designed to serve 200 or more service connections. The LPA may only issue a Permit for such a system upon the Department's written approval.

Section 2.02 Annual Work Plan. The work plan submitted and approved by the Department will be the LPA's program guide for the fiscal year 2014. Annually thereafter the County will submit an annual work plan, in form and substance as required by 22 CCR §64260, by May 1st of each year (the "Annual Work Plan"). Upon the Department's approval, the Annual Work Plan shall be considered a part of this Agreement. The Annual Work Plan may be used by the Department, in its sole discretion, as part of the ongoing evaluation of the conduct of the small public water system program by the County.

Section 2.03 Surveillance. The County shall cause the LPA to:

(a) Inventory. Establish and maintain an inventory of all small public water systems under its jurisdiction. The inventory must be updated annually and shall include the information specified in 22 CCR §64255(a).

(b) Routine Inspections. Conduct routine on-site inspections of each small public water system as required by 22 CCR §64255(b). This includes inspection of system operations, operation and maintenance records, system facilities and equipment.

(c) Sanitary Surveys. Conduct an on-site sanitary survey of each small public water system at least every three (3) years for community water systems and every five (5) years for non-community water systems. Such sanitary survey may be conducted in lieu of any routine inspection. Such a survey is intended to evaluate the adequacy and condition of the water source, facilities, equipment, and operation and maintenance procedures and records for producing and distributing safe drinking water. A sanitary survey must review the following components of a water system: (1) sources, (2) treatment, (3) distribution system, (4) finished water storage, (5) pumps, pump facilities, and controls, (6) monitoring and reporting and data verification, (7) system management and operation, and (8) operator certification compliance with State requirements.

(d) Follow-up. Identify deficiencies found during routine inspections and sanitary surveys, and, within 60 days of the date of completion of such routine physical inspection or sanitary survey, deliver a written follow-up notice to such small public water system describing the deficiencies and prescribing a schedule for corrective action.

(e) Reporting. Complete a written routine inspection or sanitary survey report for each such inspection or survey within 90 days of such routine physical inspection or sanitary survey's completion.

(f) Surface Water. Determine the small public water systems under its jurisdiction that utilize surface water or groundwater under the direct influence of surface water and are therefore subject to surface water treatment requirements.

Performance Evaluation. The Department will evaluate the LPA's surveillance performance based upon the requirements of this Section 2.03(a), and 2.03 (c)-(f).

Section 2.04 Sampling and Monitoring. The County shall cause the LPA to:

(a) Notice. Notify each small public water system under its jurisdiction in writing of the monitoring requirements for that system. Such notification shall be provided at least once every three (3) years for each community water systems and every five (5) years for each non-community water systems. The notice shall identify the specific contaminants to be monitored, the type of laboratory analyses required for each contaminant, the frequency of sampling, and any other sampling and reporting requirements applicable to that system. To assist with compliance with this Section 2.04, the Department shall provide guidance or related documents upon the LPA's request.

(b) Sample Siting Plan. Ensure that each small public water system under its jurisdiction complies with the sample siting plan requirements of 22 CCR §64422.

(c) Tracking System. Use a tracking system to assure that all required sampling and laboratory analyses are completed and reported by the small public water systems. The tracking system shall include the date the sample was collected, the type or purpose of the sample, the laboratory result, and the date the next sample is required to be collected.

(d) Compliance Records. Maintain an ongoing record of the status of compliance with monitoring and reporting requirements for each small public water system.

(e) Monitoring. Establish a system to assure that the water quality monitoring data submitted by each small public water system is reviewed each month for compliance.

Section 2.05 Data Management and Reporting.

The County shall cause the LPA to establish and maintain a database of record and report data elements electronically to the Department in the format designated by the then current electronic submission specifications as follows:

(a) On a monthly basis, no later than 30 days following the month being reported:

1. A list of all small public water systems that failed during the previous month to comply with drinking water monitoring and reporting requirements of California or federal law.

2. A compliance report containing the following information for each small public water system that is in violation of California or federal law: (1) the name and water system identification number of the system; (2) a description of the type of violation and the standard violated; and (3) a description of any enforcement action taken by the LPA with respect to the violation.

3. An electronic copy of each enforcement action in a PDF format (citations, compliance orders, and any court filings) issued by the LPA that was submitted to the Department as listed in Section 2.05(a)(ii)(3).

(b) On a quarterly basis, no later than 30 days following the quarter being reported:

1. A list of domestic water supply permits for small public water systems that have been issued, amended, or renewed during the reporting period. The list shall include the name and the identification number of the water system.

2. A list of the small public water systems for which an inspection or sanitary survey was conducted during the reporting period. The list shall indicate the name and identification number of the small public water system and the type of routine inspection or sanitary survey performed.

3. A list of small public water systems that are required to comply with the Lead and Copper Rule (LCR) requirements of 22 CCR Chapter 17.5 and the LPA's LCR data, including the name and identification number of the small public water system, LCR monitoring period frequency, water sample collection date, number of water samples collected, number of water samples required, the lead 90th percentile result, and the copper 90th percentile result. The LPA may request a copy of the Department's LCR database for tracking and reporting LCR data in order to clarify the information the LPA is required to track and report and to provide a template for the LPA's report of LCR data.

(c) On an annual basis, no later than August 15th of each year, the LPA shall submit an updated inventory of small public water systems under the LPA's jurisdiction.

(d) The LPA agrees to submit electronic data files as requested by the Department, but in no case greater than monthly.

(e) The LPA agrees to submit their entire water system database electronically within 30 days of the Department's request for same.

Section 2.06 Additional Data Reporting to the Department. The County shall cause the LPA to (i) send written notice to all small public water systems under their jurisdiction directing them to electronically submit, to the Department's designated location, an electronic annual report in the format specified by the Department, submitted no later than July 1st of each year (the "EAR"), and (ii) review and, if adequate, accept such EAR. If the EAR is deficient in any manner, the LPA shall notify the small public water system of the specific defects in the EAR and the system shall then resubmit a corrected EAR for further review.

Section 2.07 Enforcement. The County shall cause the LPA to take enforcement action against small public water systems in accordance with 22 CCR § 64258 and consistent with the Department's enforcement manual. As used in this Section, "enforcement action" shall be limited to the actions set forth in Division 104, Part 12, Chapter 4, Articles 9 (*Remedies*), 10 (*Judicial Review*) and 11 (*Crimes and Penalties*) of the HSC (commencing with HSC §116650).

Section 2.08 Compliance with Current Laws and Regulations. The County agrees to cause the LPA to comply with and enforce all applicable state laws and regulations and as each may be created or amended from time to time, including but not limited to HSC §116330, and 22 CCR, §§ 64253 - 64260. Each LPA will notify each small public water system under their jurisdiction of any new state or federal drinking water requirement applicable to those systems.

ARTICLE III. LPA PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Section 3.01 Dedicated Staff Time. The LPA will dedicate adequate staffing for the implementation of the small public water system regulatory program during the 2013 fiscal year and in subsequent years. The "adequate" level of staff workload dedicated and performed for the 2013 fiscal year shall be as set forth in the special conditions attached hereto in Exhibit A and in subsequent years shall be negotiated and incorporated into the Annual Work Plan.

Section 3.02 Adequate Staffing and Expertise. The County certifies that all LPA staff necessary to administer and fulfill the obligations delegated by this Agreement, including all technical and professional staff, have been hired or retained, and are adequately trained as of the Effective Date. The LPA may consult with the Department's staff and local district engineers for purposes of technical assistance at no cost to the LPA.

Section 3.03 Training. The Department shall provide appropriate training and technical consultation to the staff of the LPA regarding the implementation and enforcement of state and federal drinking water regulations.

Section 3.04 Program Management and Costs. Each LPA will establish and maintain a time accounting system to determine the amount of reimbursement to be billed to each small public water system consistent with the terms of HSC §116595. The hourly cost rate of the LPA must be determined using the criteria set forth in HSC §116590(b).

Section 3.05 Local Ordinances. The County certifies that any applicable local ordinances as proposed in the County's Application have been adopted and are in effect as of the Effective Date.

Section 3.06 Program Management. The County shall cause the LPA to manage the LPA program in accordance with 22 CCR § 64259.

Section 3.07 Special Conditions. The County shall cause the LPA to satisfy the special terms and conditions set forth in Exhibit A. Failure by the LPA to satisfy the special terms and conditions may, at the option of the Department, result in breach of this Agreement.

Section 3.08 Confidentiality Agreement. The County shall cause the LPA to execute a Confidentiality Agreement with the Department, as more specifically provided in Exhibit B attached hereto.

Section 3.09 Incorporation of Other Documents. This Agreement incorporates by this reference: Exhibit A "Special Conditions", Exhibit B "Confidentiality Agreement", the Annual Work Plan, and the Application as submitted to and approved by Department, and any attachments to said documents. County agrees to comply with all terms, provisions, and conditions of this Agreement, including all incorporated documents and exhibits thereto, and to fulfill all assurances, representations, and statements made by County in the same.

ARTICLE IV. GENERAL PROVISIONS.

Section 4.01 Amendments; Waiver. No amendment, modification or waiver of, or consent with respect to, any provision of this Agreement shall in any event be effective unless the same shall be in writing and signed and delivered by the Department. Any waiver of any provision of this Agreement, and any consent to any departure by the County from the terms of any provision of this Agreement, shall be effective only if in writing and only in the specific instance and for the specific purpose for which given.

Section 4.02 Notices. Any notice to be provided to a party to this Agreement shall be delivered to the following addresses:

CDPH-Division of Drinking Water and Environmental Management
Small Water Systems Unit
1616 Capitol Avenue, MS 7418
P.O. Box 997377
Sacramento, CA 95899-7377

County of Los Angeles
Department Public Health-Environmental Health
Attn: Director of Environmental Health
5050 Commerce Drive
Baldwin Park, CA 91706

Section 4.03 Term; Termination of Agreement. This Agreement shall remain in effect unless terminated pursuant to HSC §116330(c). No later than ninety (90) days after termination of this Agreement, the County shall cause the LPA to deliver all records pertaining to small public water systems in either Microsoft Word and/or PDF format.

Section 4.04 Successors and Assigns. This Agreement shall be binding upon the County, its successors and assigns, and shall inure to the benefit of, and be enforceable by, the Department and its successors, transferees, and assigns. The County shall not assign its rights or duties hereunder without the consent of the Department.

Section 4.05 Severability. Any provision of this Agreement which is prohibited or unenforceable shall be ineffective to the extent of such prohibition or unenforceability without invalidating the remaining provisions hereof or affecting the validity or enforceability of such provision. Should any provision of this Agreement be determined to be in conflict with the provisions of the Health and Safety Code or the California Code of Regulations, the provisions of those codes shall prevail.

Section 4.06 Captions. The captions or headings herein are for convenience only and in no way define, limit, or describe the scope or intent of any provision of this Agreement.

Section 4.07 Entire Agreement. This Agreement, and the other documents specifically referred to herein, embody the entire agreement and understanding between the County and the Department with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof. This Agreement supersedes all prior agreements and understandings relating to the subject matter hereof.

Section 4.08 Governing Law; Counterparts. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of California. This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which is an original, but all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument.

Section 4.09 No Agency. Nothing in this Agreement is intended to or does establish the County as the agent for the Department, or grants to the County any powers, rights, or privileges other than those contained in this Agreement.

[Signatures on Following Page]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement has been duly executed as of the day and year first above written.

DEPARTMENT:

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH**

By: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

LOS ANGELS COUNTY:

[Authorized Signatory]

By: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

EXHIBIT "A"

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

Article A-1. Supremacy of Special Conditions. Notwithstanding any other term or condition in this Agreement or any document attached hereto or incorporated by reference, the special conditions set forth in this Exhibit A shall control in the event of any conflict or discrepancy with any other term.

Article A-2. TERMS OF DELEGATION

Section 2.05 Data Management and Reporting The County shall cause the LPA to establish and maintain a database of record and report data elements electronically to the State in the format designated by the then current electronic submission specifications within 240 days of the implementation of the County's new database and software system Decade Software EnvisionConnect (EC).

Article A-3. LPA PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Section 3.01 Dedicated Staff Time The "adequate" level of dedicated staff time referred to Section 3.01 of this Agreement means one and three-quarters (1.75) full-time equivalent (FTE). This adequate staffing shall be incorporated into the Annual Work Plan.

Section 3.05 Local Ordinances The County certifies that any applicable local ordinances as proposed in the County's Application have been and/or will be adopted.

EXHIBIT “B”

CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT

**CALIFORNIA STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
DIVISION OF DRINKING WATER AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT**

CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT

WHEREAS the California Department of Public Health, Division of Drinking Water and Environmental Management (hereafter “CDPH”) and the County of Los Angeles (hereafter “County”) have entered into that certain Local Primacy Delegation Agreement of even date herewith (hereafter “LPDA”); and

WHEREAS in the performance of the LPDA, CDPH will disclose to County records and information, or portions thereof, that are confidential and exempt from disclosure to the public.

THEREFORE, CDPH and County hereby agree that County will use such records and information subject to the following terms and conditions effective as of _____, 2014, (the “Effective Date”).

1. Confidential Information: The following shall be deemed “Confidential Information”:
 - a. Documents and records provided by CDPH, including electronically stored and/or transmitted information, concerning the precise geographical location of public water systems’ drinking water sources, treatment facilities, pumping stations, distribution systems, and storage facilities for all public water systems in the County. These records may include maps, project plans or specifications, water supply permits/engineering reports, facilities lists; source water assessments, well driller’s logs, and schematic diagrams.
 - b. Documents, records, memoranda, policy and guidance documents and all other materials provided by CDPH to County by means of CDPH’s SharePoint system, any internal non-public websites or any other related or successor databases or sources that are managed by CDPH and accessed by County.
 - c. Information or records provided by CDPH that are marked “Confidential” or which are understood to be or intended to be treated as “Confidential”.
2. Non-Disclosure: County agrees to treat the “Confidential Information” as confidential and exempt from disclosure to the public, allowing access to the records only to those persons who are employed, retained, or otherwise under the control of the County and are subject to confidentiality obligations substantially similar to those contained herein (collectively “Permitted

Recipients"). County agrees to protect Confidential Information from disclosure to others to the greatest degree allowed by law.

3. Treatment of Non-Confidential Information: Information derived from sources other than CDPH is not subject to this Agreement.
4. Use: County agrees to use Confidential Information only for official business purposes directly related to performance of the LPDA. To the extent that Confidential Information is used to create public reports, publications, maps, or other representations of the data contained in the records, physical addresses of public drinking water systems' sources, treatment facilities, pumping stations, distribution systems, and storage facilities will not be included, and any geographical locations of public drinking water systems' sources, treatment facilities, pumping stations, distribution systems, and storage facilities will be displayed or represented in a manner that is randomized within a one-mile radius.
 - a. Protective Order: To the extent that Confidential Information comprises part of an administrative record for, or are otherwise to be used in, administrative or judicial litigation, physical addresses and/or a higher resolution may be provided to the court under seal or subject to the court's protective order(s). County may request CDPH provide a template for such a protective order.
5. Approval of Third Parties: County agrees that reports, publications, maps, or other representations or information contained in the Confidential Information will be released only to Permitted Recipients unless County has obtained the prior written approval of an authorized representative of CDPH or a court order.
6. Notice: County agrees to notify CDPH promptly of any requests or demands for disclosure of any Confidential Information, and to coordinate with CDPH in its response to those requests. In addition, County agrees to immediately notify and coordinate with CDPH regarding the initiation of any judicial proceeding to compel the County to disclose Confidential Information and/or any representation based thereon. County further agrees to seek direction from CDPH regarding further judicial review or appeal of any such order and shall act in accordance with such direction from CDPH.
7. Amendments: CDPH and County agree that this Agreement may not be amended, except in writing signed by authorized representatives of CDPH and County.
8. Continuity of Obligations: County agrees that its obligations under this Agreement shall continue indefinitely until the parties agree in writing to the contrary.

9. Destruction: County agrees to destroy any Confidential Information disclosed by CDPH as soon as County is finished using it and to notify CDPH when it has been destroyed.
10. Governing Law: CDPH and County agree that this Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California.

By their signatures below, CDPH and County represent that they have authority to execute this Agreement and to bind the party on whose behalf their execution is made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement has been duly executed as of the day and year first above written.

County

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

CDPH

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

EXHIBIT II

**SRF Set-Aside
Funding Agreement**

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH**

**GRANT FUNDING AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
AND
THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

GRANT FUNDING AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
AND
THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

THIS AGREEMENT, is entered into between the State of California Department of Public Health, herein referred to as "State," and **The County of Los Angeles**, State of California, duly organized, existing, and acting pursuant to the laws thereof, herein referred to as "County," which parties do hereby agree as follows (the "Agreement"):

SECTION 1. PURPOSE OF FUNDING

This Agreement provides funding in the form of a grant made by State to the County under the provisions of the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. 300 j-12 et seq., (the "Act"), and the Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Law of 1997, Health and Safety Code, section 116760.10 et seq., (the "State Act"), and in conformance with the Local Primacy Agency Program (the "LPA Program"), as detailed in the Local Primacy Delegation Agreement (the "LPDA") entered into on [DATE OF EXECUTION]. Grant funds may be used only for the operation of the LPA Program as required by this Agreement and the LPDA, which action is herein referred to as the "Project."

County is solely responsible for the designated local primacy agency (the "LPA") in the regulation, operation, monitoring, reporting, and maintenance of the Project; and for all persons or entities engaged in such work, including but not limited to contractors, subcontractors, suppliers, and providers of services.

SECTION 2. INCORPORATION OF OTHER DOCUMENTS

This Agreement incorporates by this reference the LPDA, Exhibit A: "Standard Conditions," and Exhibit B: "Special Terms and Conditions."

The County accepts and agrees to comply with all terms, provisions, and conditions of this Agreement, including all incorporated documents and exhibits thereto, and to fulfill all assurances, declarations, representations, and statements made by County in receiving its grant for funding.

SECTION 3. GRANT FUNDING

Subject to the availability of funds and in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, State will provide grant funding to County in accordance with County's water system inventory, submitted pursuant to Article A-3(b). State shall utilize the following guidelines in calculating the Grant Amount to be awarded to County:

- (a) \$4000 for each community water systems;
- (b) \$3000 for each non-transient non-community water systems;
- (c) \$1500 for each transient non-community water systems.

The different categories of water systems set forth above are as defined by Health and Safety Code, section 116275. The total Grant Amount is set forth in Exhibit B.

SECTION 4. SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

County shall satisfy the special terms and conditions set forth in Exhibit B. Failure by County to satisfy the special terms and conditions may, at the option of State, result in cancellation of this Agreement under Article A-7 of the Standard Conditions, and/or declaration that County is in default pursuant to Article A-24 of the Standard Conditions.

SECTION 5. PROJECT OFFICIALS AND NOTICES

State's Grant Administrator shall be the Chief, Drinking Water Technical Programs Branch, Division of Drinking Water and Environmental Management, California Department of Public Health. All communications given to State's Grant Administrator shall be deemed given to State.

State's Grant Administrator shall be State's representative for administration of this Agreement, and shall have authority to make recommendations and findings with respect to each controversy arising under or in connection with this Agreement. All such recommendations and findings shall be communicated to the Chief, Division of Drinking Water

and Environmental Management of the California Department of Public Health, and disputes shall be resolved in accordance with Article A-22 of the Standard Conditions.

County's Grant Administrator shall be its Department of Public Health – Division of Contracts and Grants. County's Grant Administrator shall be County's representative for administration of this Agreement. All communications given to County's Grant Administrator shall be deemed given to County.

Either party may change its Grant Administrator upon written notice to the other party.

Notices required to be given in writing by County under this Agreement shall be sent to:

State of California
California Department of Public Health
Division of Drinking Water and
Environmental Management
Attention: Small Water Systems Unit
1616 Capitol Avenue, MS 7408
Post Office Box 997377
Sacramento, California 95899-7377

Notices required to be given in writing by State under this Agreement shall be sent to:

The County of Los Angeles
Department of Public Health – Environmental Health
Attn: Director of Environmental Health
5050 Commerce Drive
Baldwin Park, CA 91706

A change of address for delivery of notice may be given by written notice to the other party.

All written notices that are required either expressly or by implication to be given by one party to the other under this Agreement shall be signed for State by its Grant Administrator and for County by its Grant Administrator. Except as otherwise expressly required by this Agreement, all such notices shall be deemed to have been given if delivered personally or if enclosed in a properly addressed postage-prepaid envelope and deposited in a United States Post Office for delivery by registered or certified mail.

SECTION 6. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Agreement is held invalid or unenforceable by any court of final jurisdiction, it is the intent of the parties that all other provisions of this Agreement be construed to remain fully valid, enforceable, and binding on the parties.

GOVERNING LAW

This Agreement is governed by and shall be interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of California.

LEGAL CAPACITY

County hereby warrants and represents that it has the authority to enter into this Agreement.

VENUE

The parties agree that venue of any action between the parties arising out of this Agreement, including disputes that may arise following termination of the Agreement, shall be County of Sacramento, State of California.

[Signature Page to Follow]

DATE OF EXECUTION

Date of Execution of this Agreement is the date of the latest in time execution by a party hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement:

Approved as to Legal Form
and Sufficiency:

By _____
Signature

Print Name

Title

Date

Approved as to Legal Form
and Sufficiency:

By _____
Signature

Print Name

Title

Date

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

By _____
Signature

Print Name

Title

Date

THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

By _____
Signature

Print Name

Title

Date

EXHIBIT A

STANDARD CONDITIONS

ARTICLE A-1. DEFINITIONS

Whenever in this Agreement the following terms are used, their meaning shall be as follows unless the context clearly requires otherwise:

Eligible Project Costs -- Those Project costs which are eligible for funding under the Act and applicable State law and implementing guidelines, and this Agreement.

Grant Amount -- The total amount to be disbursed to County under this Agreement, as specified in Exhibit B.

Public Water System or Public Water Supply System -- A system for the provision to the public of water for human consumption, as defined in Part 12, Chapter 4 (commencing with Section 116270), of Division 104 of the Health and Safety Code, as it may be amended.

ARTICLE A-2. TERM OF AGREEMENT

Subject to the provisions of Article A-7, this Agreement shall become effective on the Date of Execution and shall remain in effect until cancelled or until State has disbursed the entire Grant Amount, whichever occurs first.

ARTICLE A-3. BASIC CONDITIONS PRECEDENT

Notwithstanding any other term of this Agreement, State shall have no obligation to cause funds to be disbursed under this Agreement unless and until:

(a) Minimum LPA Requirements. County shall meet the following minimum requirements:

1. LPA must ensure that all small public water systems within the LPA's jurisdiction (i) perform the required water quality monitoring, (ii) review the water quality monitoring results when they are submitted, and (iii) act in accordance with the requirements of the LPDA and applicable law.
2. LPA must ensure that all small public water systems are issued enforcement actions for any failure of a primary drinking water standard or any monitoring and reporting violation.

3. LPA must ensure that all current water supply permits are approved and on file, including those for new treatment processes or new sources.
4. LPA must ensure that all required data reporting elements are reported to CDPH-SWS Unit in a timely and accurate manner consistent with the requirements of 22 CCR §64257.

State has the sole discretion to determine that Minimum LPA Requirements are met by County.

- (b) Water System Inventory. County shall ensure that its water system inventory is fully updated and accurate. County shall submit its inventory to State, and this inventory will be used by State to determine the Grant Amount to be awarded to County. Small Water Systems (SWS) Unit staff will work with the LPA to verify that the submitted data is of acceptable quality and that the water systems are properly classified to meet SDWIS data migration rules.
- (c) Execution of the LPDA. County shall execute the LPDA and agrees to meet all applicable Project milestones as specified under Article A-5.
- (d) County Authorization. County shall provide satisfactory documentation of the action taken by its governing body authorizing it to enter into this Agreement and the LPDA, and designating a representative to execute this Agreement and the LPDA and to sign claim(s) for disbursement of funds (**Attachment 1** of this Agreement).

ARTICLE A-4. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, REGULATIONS, AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS

County shall at all times comply with, and require its employees, contractors and subcontractors, if any, to comply with, all applicable federal and state laws, rules and regulations, permits, and all applicable local ordinances, including, but not limited to, environmental, labor, procurement and safety laws, rules, regulations, permits, and ordinances.

ARTICLE A-5. PROJECT MILESTONES

County shall complete the following Project milestones:

- (a) Data Elements. Within 30 days after the Date of Execution, the County shall submit all required data elements through the electronic data transmission (EDT) process in the then current format (.FTM files) for the SDWIS Unit to migrate data into SDWIS.

- (b) Full Database Submission. Within 30 the Date of Execution, the County shall submit all records residing in its database for all required elements as specified in 22 CCR §64257.
- (c) Correction of Data Errors. Within 30 days after the Date of Execution, the County shall begin work with the SWS Unit staff to correct any data errors generated and shall re-submit the corrected data when it becomes reasonably available via the EDT process to the State.
- (d) EAR Submission. Within 60 days after the Date of Execution, the County shall ensure that: (i) all community and non-transient non-community water systems under their jurisdiction have received written notice of the EAR reporting requirements; and (ii) all 2012 electronic annual reports (EARs) submitted by active community and non-transient, non-community water systems have been reviewed and accepted by the LPA. County shall use reasonable efforts to follow up with any delinquent water systems to secure the submission of the EAR.
- (e) LPA Work Plan. Within 60 days after the Date of Execution, the County shall submit the FY 2013-2014 LPA Annual Work Plan to its designated District Engineer.
- (f) Provision of Source Class Codes. By 120 days after the Date of Execution, the County shall begin to submit new or updated source class codes for all active ground water, surface water, GWUDI water sources, and treatment plants to SWS Unit staff who shall manually enter same into PICME/SDWIS.

ARTICLE A-6. DISBURSEMENTS BY STATE

Subject to the availability of funds and in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, State will provide the Grant Amount to County pursuant Article A-8 in three separate disbursements as set forth below.

(a) Claims

Upon completion of the conditions precedent or relevant Project milestones County shall request a disbursement by submitting to State a claim documenting the completion of the applicable conditions precedent or Project milestones necessary to initiate each disbursement. A claim for disbursement of funds shall be provided in the form of Attachment 2 to this Agreement.

(b) Disbursements

Following the review and approval of a claim by State, State will disburse grant funds to County in an approved amount, subject to the availability of funds (each a "Disbursement"). Any and all funds disbursed to County under this Agreement shall be used solely to pay Eligible Project Costs.

State shall utilize the following Disbursement schedule to award the Grant Amount to County:

1. Disbursement 1: State shall award the first Disbursement, 34% of Grant Amount under this Agreement, upon the execution of this Agreement.
2. Disbursement 2: State shall award the second Disbursement, 33% of Grant Amount under this Agreement, upon satisfactory completion of Project milestones specified in Article A-5 (a), (b) and (c).
3. Disbursement 3: State shall award the third and final Disbursement, 33% of Grant Amount under this Agreement, upon satisfactory completion of Project milestones specified in Article A-5 (d) and (e).

(c) Rejection of Claims

A claim may be rejected by State if:

- (1) it is submitted without signature or it is submitted under signature of a person other than County's duly authorized representative.
- (2) State determines, in its sole discretion, that the claim is inaccurate or otherwise does not comply with the terms of this Agreement.

State will notify County of any claim so rejected, and the reasons therefore.

(d) Correction of Claims

A claim containing documentation error will be corrected by State, after telephone notification to County, and will thereafter be treated as if submitted in corrected form. State will confirm correction of the error, to County, in writing.

(e) Adjustments to Claims

If upon review of a claim, State determines that the claim is incorrect or incomplete under the Act, State law, implementing criteria, or the terms of this Agreement, State will notify County, by certified or registered mail, of its determination concerning County's failure to adequately provide documentation of milestone fulfillment, satisfaction or completion. County may, within thirty (30) days of the date of receipt of such notice, submit additional documentation or

evidence to cure such deficiency(ies). If County does not submit additional information, or if State determines such additional information to be inadequate, State will act in accordance with Article A-7.

County may submit additional documentation or evidence, and resubmit any such rejected costs on a subsequent claim.

(f) Final Claim and Disbursement

With the submission of the final claim, County shall provide:

- (1) A certification by County's Grant Administrator that the data and information disclosed to State is true and correct.

Should County fail to make the full disclosure and certification required by part 1 of this paragraph (f), or should State become aware through any means that County did not use funds for the completion of Project milestones or improperly used grant money for purposes other than those designated in this Agreement or the LPDA; the Project may be referred to the California Department of Finance for a full Project audit.

ARTICLE A-7. WITHHOLDING OF GRANT DISBURSEMENTS BY STATE AND
CANCELLATION OF AGREEMENT

(a) Conditions for Withholding

If State determines that the Project is not being carried out substantially in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement and the LPDA, or that County has failed in any other respect to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement or the LPDA, State may give written notice of such failure to comply. If County does not cure any such failure to State's satisfaction within ten (10) calendar days of receipt of such notice, State may withhold from the County all or any portion of the Grant Amount and take any other action that it deems necessary to protect its interests, including but not limited to declaring County in default as set forth in Article A-24, or canceling this Agreement pursuant to Subpart (b) of this Article A-7.

(b) Withholding Entire Grant Amount

If State determines to withhold the entire Grant Amount from County pursuant to Subpart (a) of this Article A-7, notice of such a determination shall constitute a notice of cancellation of this Agreement and shall no longer be binding on any party hereto. Said Notice of Cancellation shall be sent to County by certified or registered mail, and shall be effective upon receipt.

(c) Withholding Balance of Grant Amount

When a portion of the Grant Amount has been disbursed to County and State determines to withhold funding, State will notify County in writing, via certified or registered mail, that State is withholding the balance of the funding from County, pursuant to Subpart (a) of this Article A-7. In such event, County will be deemed to be in default and subject to the provisions of Article A-24.

ARTICLE A-8 DISBURSEMENT DEADLINE.

Notwithstanding any other term or condition of this Agreement, the Grant Amount must be disbursed by State within one (1) year from the Date of Execution (the "Disbursement Deadline"). If State has not disbursed the Grant Amount by the Disbursement Deadline such funds will be disencumbered and may be used by State for any other purposes at State's sole discretion and the County will not, and shall have no further right to, receive the Grant Funds pursuant to the terms of this Agreement.

ARTICLE A-9. TIMING OF PROJECT

County shall execute this Agreement by June 17, 2014. County shall proceed expeditiously with the Project.

ARTICLE A-10. COUNTY'S CONTRACTS

County shall be solely responsible for resolution of any and all disputes arising out of or related to County's performance of the Project, including but not limited to employment and payment disputes with County's employees, contractors and subcontractors and shall provide appropriate releases (as set forth in California Civil Code Title 15) as may be requested by State.

ARTICLE A-11. AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF BOOKS AND RECORDS

- (a) Upon execution of this Agreement and until 3 years following final Disbursement under this Agreement, pursuant to Government Code Section 8546.7, the parties shall be subject to the examination and audit by State or any agent thereof, and the State Auditor, with respect to all matters connected with the performance of this Agreement, including, but not limited to, the cost of administering this Agreement. If any litigation, claim, negotiation, audit or other action is commenced before the expiration of said three (3) year period, all records must be retained until such action is resolved, or until the end of said three (3) year period whichever shall later occur. All records of County relating in any way to funding received pursuant to this Agreement shall be preserved for this purpose.

- (b) During regular office hours, each of the parties hereto and their duly authorized representatives shall have the right to inspect and to make copies of any books, records, or reports of either party pertaining to this agreement or matters related hereto. Each of the parties hereto shall maintain and shall make available at all times for such inspection accurate records of all its costs, Disbursements, and receipts with respect to its activities under this Agreement. Failure or refusal by County to comply with this provision shall be considered a substantial failure to comply with this Agreement. State may declare County in default as set forth in Article A-24, withhold Disbursements to County, or take any other action it deems necessary to protect its interests. The provisions of this Subpart (b) shall be effective until expiration of the time period provided in Subpart (a) of this Article A-11.

ARTICLE A-12. ACCOUNTING AND DEPOSIT OF GRANT DISBURSEMENTS

(a) Separate Accounting of Grant Disbursements

County shall account for the funds disbursed pursuant to this Agreement separately from all other County's funds. County shall maintain accounting procedures that are in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles. County shall keep complete and accurate records of all receipts and Disbursements of such funds.

(b) Disposition of Funds Disbursed

In addition to specific requirements set forth in this Agreement, all funds disbursed pursuant to this Agreement shall be deposited, administered, and accounted for pursuant to all provisions of law applicable to County.

(c) Interim and Final Audits

In addition to the provisions of Article A-11, at any time following execution of this Agreement and until completion of the Project, or final Disbursement whichever shall occur last, State reserves the right to conduct an audit of County's disposition of all funds disbursed under this Agreement.

Failure or refusal by County to comply with these provisions shall be considered a substantial breach of this Agreement.

ARTICLE A-13. SINGLE AUDIT ACT

If County receives \$500,000 or more in federal awards in a year from any source, including federal funds disbursed under this Agreement, County agrees to

comply with all requirements of the Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133 issued pursuant to the Single Audit Act, as the same may be amended from time to time.

ARTICLE A-14. [INTENTIONALLY RESERVED]

ARTICLE A-15. NONDISCRIMINATION CLAUSE

During the performance of this Agreement, County, its contractors and subcontractors, shall not deny the Agreement's benefits to any person on the basis of religion, color, ethnic group identification, sex, age, physical or mental disability, nor shall they discriminate unlawfully against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, national origin, ancestry, physical handicap, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, age, or sex. County, its contractors and subcontractors, shall ensure that the evaluation and treatment of employees and applicants for employment are free of such discrimination.

County, its contractors and subcontractors shall comply with the provisions of the Fair Employment and Housing Act (Government Code, Section 12900 et seq.), the regulations promulgated thereunder (California Code of Regulations, Title 2, Section 7285.0 et seq.), the provisions of Article 9.5, Chapter 1, Part 1, Division 3, Title 2 of the Government Code (Government Code, Sections 11135-11139.5) and the regulations or standards adopted by the awarding State Agency to implement such article.

By signing this Agreement, County assures State that it shall comply with the requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990, (42 U.S.C. 12101 et seq.), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability, as well as all applicable regulations and guidelines issued pursuant to the ADA; the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 2000d (1988) et seq.; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. 794 (1989); Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972, Pub.L. No. 92-500, 86 Stat 816; and the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 6102 (1994); together with all applicable regulations and guidelines adopted to implement same. Said group of laws and requirements are collectively referred to in this Agreement as the "anti-discrimination laws".

County agrees to collect and maintain information to show compliance with the "anti-discrimination laws" including a list of discrimination complaints, reports of any compliance reviews conducted by other agencies descriptions of any pending discrimination-based lawsuits and data on the racial, ethnic, national origin, sex and handicap characteristics of the population it serves.

County, its contractors and subcontractors shall give written notice of their obligations under this Article to labor organizations with which they have a collective bargaining or other agreement.

County's signature on this Agreement shall constitute a certification under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that County has, unless exempted, complied with the nondiscrimination program requirements of Government Code, Section 12990, and Title 2, California Code of Regulations, Section 8103.

County shall include the nondiscrimination and compliance provisions of this Article A-15 in all contracts and subcontracts to perform work on the Project.

ARTICLE A-16. WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAUSE

County affirms that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code, which requires every employer to be insured against liability for workers' compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that code, and County affirms that it will comply with such provisions before commencing performance of work under this Agreement and will make its contractors and subcontractors aware of this provision.

ARTICLE A-17. SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS

This Agreement and all of its provisions shall inure to the benefit of, apply to, and bind the heirs, successors and assigns of the parties hereto. No assignment or transfer of this Agreement or any part hereof by County shall be valid unless and until it is approved by State and made subject to such reasonable terms and conditions as State may impose.

ARTICLE A-18. [INTENTIONALLY RESERVED]

ARTICLE A-19. REMEDIES NOT EXCLUSIVE

The use by either party of any remedy specified herein for the enforcement of this Agreement is not exclusive, and shall not deprive the party using such remedy of, or limit the application of, any other remedy provided by law.

ARTICLE A-20. AMENDMENTS

This Agreement may be amended only by mutual written agreement signed by the parties hereto. Requests by County for amendments must be in writing stating the amendment request and the reason for the request.

ARTICLE A-21. WAIVER OF RIGHTS

It is the intention of the parties hereto that from time to time either party may waive any of its rights under this Agreement unless contrary to law. Any waiver by either party hereto of rights arising in connection with this Agreement shall not be deemed to be a waiver with respect to any other rights or matters.

ARTICLE A-22. DISPUTE CLAUSE

Any dispute that County may have regarding the performance of this Agreement including, but not limited to, claims for additional Disbursements of funds or extension of time, shall be submitted to State's Grant Administrator identified in Section 5 of this Agreement. State's Grant Administrator may make findings and recommendations and transmit a copy of the claim and any such findings and recommendations to the California Department of Public Health, Chief, Division of Drinking Water and Environmental Management, who shall make a decision on such dispute which decision shall be in writing and transmitted to County by certified or registered mail. Said decision shall be final and conclusive.

ARTICLE A-23. PERFORMANCE AND ASSURANCES

County agrees to faithfully and expeditiously perform or cause to be performed all Project work as described in Article A-5, and to apply funds received only to Eligible Project Costs and to operate and maintain the Project in accordance with applicable provisions of the law.

ARTICLE A-24. DEFAULT PROVISIONS

(a) County will be in default under this Agreement if any of the following occur:

- (1) County's substantial breach of this Agreement, or any supplement or amendment to it;
- (2) County's making of any false warranty, representation, or statement with respect to this Agreement or the Project; and/or

(b) When an event of default occurs, State may give County notice of default. County shall have ten (10) calendar days from the date of such notice to cure the default. If County fails to timely cure the default to the satisfaction of State, then State may do any or all of the following:

- (1) Declare that any and all amounts disbursed to County under the terms of this Agreement shall be deemed an obligation of County and due and payable to State;
 - (2) Declare County's obligations immediately due and payable, with or without demand or notice to County, which County expressly waives;
 - (3) Terminate any obligation of State to make further Disbursements to County under this Agreement; and/or
 - (4) Take any other action it deems necessary to protect its interests.
- (c) County agrees that any remedy provided in this Agreement is in addition to and not in derogation of any other legal or equitable remedy available to State as a result of a breach of agreement by County, whether such breach occurs before or after completion of the Project.
- (d) No waiver by State of any breach or default will be a waiver of any other breach or default.

ARTICLE A-25. DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE CERTIFICATION

By signing this Agreement, County hereby certifies under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that County will comply with the requirements of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 (Government Code Section 8350 et seq.) and will provide a drug-free workplace by taking the following actions:

- (a) Publish a statement notifying employees that unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited and specifying actions to be taken against employees for violations.
- (b) Establish a Drug-Free Awareness program to inform employees about all of the following:
 - (1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
 - (2) The person's or organization's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
 - (3) Any available counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs;
 - (4) Penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.

(c) Every employee who works on the Project:

- (1) Shall be issued a copy of County's drug-free policy statement;
- (2) Shall agree to abide by terms of County's statement as a condition of employment on the Project.

This Agreement may be subject to suspension of payments or termination, or both, and County may be subject to debarment if State determines that: (1) County has made a false certification, or (2) County has violated the certification by failing to carry out the requirements of this Article A-25.

ARTICLE A-26. CONFLICT OF INTEREST--CURRENT AND FORMER STATE EMPLOYEES

(a) Current State Officers and Employees:

- (1) County shall not utilize in the performance of this Agreement any state officer or employee in the state civil service or other appointed state official unless the employment, activity, or enterprise is required as a condition of the officer or employee's regular state employment. Employee in the state civil service is defined to be any person legally holding a permanent or intermittent position in the state civil service.
- (2) If any state officer or employee is utilized or employed in the performance of this Agreement, County shall first obtain written verification from State that the employment, activity, or enterprise is required as a condition of the officer's, employee's, or official's regular state employment and shall keep said verification on file for three (3) years after the termination of this Agreement.
- (3) County may not accept occasional work from any currently employed state officer, employee, or official.
- (4) If County accepts volunteer work from any currently employed state officer, employee, or official, County may not reimburse, or otherwise pay or compensate, such person for expenses incurred, including, without limitation, travel expenses, per diem, or the like, in connection with volunteer work on behalf of County.
- (5) County shall not employ any state officers, employees, or officials who are on paid or unpaid leave of absence from their regular state employment.
- (6) County or anyone having a financial interest in the Agreement may not become a state officer, employee, or official during the term of this

Agreement. County shall notify each of its employees, and any other person having a financial interest in this Agreement that it is unlawful under the Public Contract Code for such person to become a state officer, employee, or official during the term of this Agreement unless any relationship with the County giving rise to a financial interest, as an employee or otherwise, is first terminated.

- (7) Occasional or one-time reimbursement of a state employee's travel expenses is not acceptable.

(b) Former State Officers and Employees:

- (1) County shall not utilize in the performance of this Agreement any formerly employed person of any state agency or department that was employed under the state civil service, or otherwise appointed to serve in the State Government, if that person was engaged in any negotiations, transactions, planning, arrangement, or any part of the decision making process relevant to the Agreement while employed in any capacity by any state agency or department. This prohibition shall apply for a two (2) year period beginning on the date the person left state employment.
- (2) County shall not utilize within twelve (12) months from the date of separation from services, a former employee of the contracting state agency or department if that former employee was employed in a policy making position in the same general subject area as the proposed Agreement within the twelve (12) month period prior to the employee leaving state service.

ARTICLE A-27. PROHIBITED USE OF STATE FUNDS

County certifies that it has appropriate systems and controls in place to ensure that state funds will not be used in the performance of this Agreement for the following:

- (a) Software. County shall not use grant funds pursuant to this Agreement for the acquisition, operation or maintenance of computer software in violation of copyright laws.
- (b) Unrelated County Purposes. County shall not use grants funds pursuant to this Agreement for purposes not related to the Project and performance of the LPDA. Prohibited use of the funds include, but are not limited to, the implementation of county administrative purposes, operations, and programs not associated with the fulfillment of Project and the LPDA.

Any suspected occurrences of fraud, negligence, forgery, embezzlement, theft, or any other misuse of public funds shall be considered a substantial breach of

this Agreement. State may immediately suspend Disbursements of grant funds and/or terminate the LPDA and this Agreement in whole or in part pursuant to Article A-7 or Article A-24.

EXHIBIT B

SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

ARTICLE B-1. FINAL GRANT AMOUNT AWARDED

The Grant Amount shall be \$470,000.00.

ARTICLE B-2. OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS

Notwithstanding any other term or condition of this Agreement, the following shall supersede any terms to the contrary.

- (a) The Project milestones set forth in Article A-5 may be fulfilled in any order for purposes of disbursements under Article A-6. As an example, Disbursement 3 may be made before Disbursement 2.
- (b) County shall demonstrate good faith efforts and due diligence in completing the Project milestones set forth below in Article A-5.
- (c) Upon substantial completion of any Project milestone, at any time on or prior to the deadlines set forth in Article A-5, County may submit a claim (each a "Good Faith Claim") to State pursuant to the terms of Article A-6. Each Good Faith Claim must state the projected completion date of the Project milestones being claimed. State shall, in good faith, review the County's progress toward completion of such Project milestones set forth in the Good Faith Claim. If State determines, in State's reasonable discretion, that County has made substantial progress towards and is likely to successfully complete said Project milestone as set forth in the Good Faith Claim, State shall make a disbursement pursuant to Article A-6.
- (d) If State accepts a Good Faith Claim, County agrees and covenants to complete the Project milestones set forth in such Good Faith Claim on a timely basis, consistent with the projected completion date set forth in the Good Faith Claim. County's completion of a Good Faith Claim shall be in as full and complete a manner as if County had made such claim under Article A-6.
- (e) Rejection of a Good Faith Claim by State shall not prejudice or otherwise limit County's ability to make further Good Faith Claims or claims under Article A-6.
- (f) County agrees to regularly communicate its progress on the Project milestones to State, and shall notify the State thirty (30) days prior to a Project milestone due date or funding deadline if County is encountering difficulties with timely completion of said milestones. County may request a reasonable time extension

in said notice. State agrees to reasonably consider such County requests and work with County in good faith to resolve such impediments.

- (g) One year from the Date of Execution of this Agreement, if any Project milestones remain unsatisfied, County may make a final Good Faith Claim (the "Final Claim"). If State approves the Final Claim, State will disburse funds pursuant to Article A-6 and County agrees to complete the milestones set forth in the Final Claim within 45 days of the date of the Final Claim. If County is unable to complete the milestone set forth in the Final Claim within 45 days, County will refund all sums paid under the Final Claim to State. County shall have no further ability to submit claims for the Grant Amount.
- (h) In no case shall County have the right to seek, or shall State have the obligation to make, any payments for claims submitted after the date that is one (1) year from the Date of Execution of this Agreement.

ARTICLE A-5 PROJECT MILESTONES

County shall complete the following Project milestones:

- (a) Data Elements. Within 240 days after the Date of Execution, the County shall submit all required data elements through the electronic data transmission (EDT) process in the then current format (.FTM files) for the SDWIS Unit to migrate data into SDWIS.
- (b) Full Database Submission. Within 240 the Date of Execution, the County shall submit all records residing in its database for all required elements as specified in 22 CCR §64257.
- (c) Correction of Data Errors. Within 240 days after the Date of Execution, the County shall begin work with the SWS Unit staff to correct any data errors generated and shall re-submit the corrected data when it becomes reasonably available via the EDT process to the State.
- (d) EAR Submission. Within 90 days after the Date of Execution, the County shall ensure that: (i) all community and non-transient non-community water systems under their jurisdiction have received written notice of the EAR reporting requirements; and (ii) all 2013 electronic annual reports (EARs) submitted by active community and non-transient, non-community water systems have been reviewed and accepted by the LPA. County shall use reasonable efforts to follow up with any delinquent water systems to secure the submission of the EAR.

- (e) LPA Work Plan. Within 60 days after the Date of Execution, the County shall submit the FY 2014-2015 LPA Annual Work Plan to its designated District Engineer.
- (f) Provision of Source Class Codes. By 180 days after the Date of Execution, the County shall begin to submit new or updated source class codes for all active ground water, surface water, GWUDI water sources, and treatment plants to SWS Unit staff who shall manually enter same into PICME/SDWIS.

Los Angeles County Chief Executive Office
Grant Management Statement for Grants Exceeding \$100,000

Department: Public Health – Public Health

Grant Project Title and Description

Operation of the County Local Primacy Agency Program

Funding Agency

California Department of
Public Health

Program (Fed. Grant #State Bill or Code #)

Division of Drinking Water and Environmental
Management (State #)

Grant Acceptance Deadline

June 17, 2014

Total Amount of Grant Funding: \$470,000

County Match Requirements: N/A

Grant Period: Begin Date: July 1, 2014

End Date: June 30, 2015

Number of Personnel Hired Under this Grant: Full Time 3.5 Part Time 0

Obligations Imposed on the County When the Grant Expires

Will all personnel hired for this program be informed this is a grant funded program? Yes ☐ No ☒

Will all personnel hired for this program be placed on temporary "N" items? Yes ☐ No ☒

Is the County obligated to continue this program after the grant expires Yes ☒ No ☐

If the County is not obligated to continue this program after the grant expires, the Department will:

a). Absorb the program cost without reducing other services Yes ☐ No ☐

b). Identify other revenue sources Yes ☐ No ☐

(Describe)

c). Eliminate or reduce, as appropriate, positions/program costs funded by this grant Yes ☐ No ☐

Impact of additional personnel on existing space: None.

Other requirements not mentioned above: If grant funds are unavailable, the actual number of FTE's will need to be determined along with fee modifications to support small water systems activities on an annual basis.

Department Head Signature

Cynthia A. Herdiz

Date

5/28/14